

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PACE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 4033

Isao NAKATANI et al.

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Group Art Unit 1765

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents. Washington, DC 20231

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of August 22, 2002.

The fee of \$930.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed. 0
- Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which 0
  - is enclosed. 0
  - 0 has been previously submitted.

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